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SUBJECT: TOGO - HUMAN RIGHTS AND ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE

REF: A) LOME 1566; B) LOME 1172; C) 77 STATE
274437; D) LOME 1565; E) LOME 1564

1. AF/W PRESENTLY DISCUSSING WITH HA/HR POSSIBILITY
OF RECOMMENDATION TO SECRETARY IN FY 80 FOREIGN ASSISTANCE
BUDGET REVIEW THAT TOGO AND OTHER COUNTRIES BE CONSIDERED
FOR INCREASED ASSISTANCE BECAUSE OF IMPROVED HUMAN RIGHTS
RECORD. THIS IS FOLLOW UP TO REFTELS B AND C.

2. DEVELOPMENTS IN REFTELS A, D AND E RAISE SERIOUS
QUESTION AS TO IMPROVEMENT IN HUMAN RIGHTS IN TOGO DESPITE
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RELEASE OF POLITICAL PRISONERS AND VISIT BY AMNESTY
INTERNATIONAL (HA/HR STILL HAS NO REPORT ON THIS VISIT
FROM AI). WE REALIZE THAT MEASUREMENT OF PROGRESS AFFECTED
BY LOCAL CONDITIONS. ANALYTICAL CABLE FROM POST ASAP
WOULD BE HELPFUL. WOULD ALSO EXPECT YOU TO DISCUSS
THIS MATTER WITH HA DURING YOUR CONSULTATIONS NEXT WEEK.

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